R^1 represents hydrogen or straight-chain or branched alkyl having up to 4 carbon atoms,
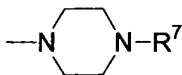
R^2 represents straight-chain or branched alkyl having up to 4 carbon atoms,

R^3 and R^4 are identical or different and represent a straight chain or branched alkyl chain having up to 5 carbon atoms, which is optionally substituted up to two times in an identical or different manner by hydroxyl or methoxy,

or

R^3 and R^4, together with the nitrogen atom, form a piperidinyl, morpholinyl or thiomorpholinyl ring or a radical of the formula

$$-\text{N}\diagup\diagdown\text{N}-\text{R}^7$$

in which

R^7 denotes hydrogen, formyl, straight-chain or branched acyl or alkoxycarbonyl each having up to 6 carbon atoms, or straight-chain or branched alkyl having up to 6 carbon atoms, which is optionally mono- to disubstituted, in an identical or different manner, by hydroxyl, carboxyl, straight-chain or branched alkoxy or alkoxycarbonyl each having up to 6 carbon atoms, or denotes C$_{3-8}$-cycloalkyl,

and the heterocycles mentioned under R^3 and R^4, formed together with the nitrogen atom, are optionally mono-to disubstituted, in an identical or different manner, if appropriate also geminally, by hydroxyl, formyl, carboxyl, straight-chain or branched acyl or alkoxycarbonyl each having up to 6 carbon atoms,

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and/or the heterocycles mentioned under R^3 and R^4, formed together with the nitrogen atom, are optionally substituted by straight-chain or branched alkyl having up to 6 carbon atoms, which is optionally mono- to disubstituted, in an identical or different manner, by hydroxyl or carboxyl,

and/or the heterocycles mentioned under R^3 and R^4, formed together with the nitrogen atom, are optionally substituted by piperidinyl or pyrrolidinyl linked via N,

R^5 and R^6 are identical or different and represent hydrogen, straight-chain or branched alkyl having up to 6 carbon atoms, hydroxyl or straight-chain or branched alkoxy having up to 6 carbon atoms,

characterized in that compounds of the formula (II)

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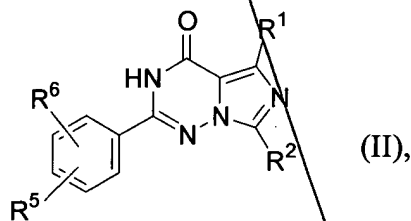
in which

R^1, R^2, R^5 and R^6 have the meanings indicated above,

are reacted with sulphuric acid to give compounds of the formula (III)

(III),